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RETURNING TO CHILI.

APPLICANTS FOR PASSAGE ON THE ITATA FROM SAN DIEGO.

A Number of Prominent Chilians Who Fled the Country on Their Way Back—A Prominent Portlander Drowned—The Hawaiian Cable Survey.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Sept. 14. — The probability of the departure of the Itata for Chili is causing a large number of applications for passage upon her by refugees who fled to escape from Balmaceda's barbarism. Among them is Senor Vicuna, nephew of president-elect Vicuna, who is an ardent Congressionalist, notwithstanding his relationship to the president-elect. He displeased Balmaceda and fled to Panama, then to San Francisco, finally coming to this city and taking quarters with Captain Manzeen. Capt. Krug, captain of the port of Iquique, will also be one of the passengers. Captain Manzeen is now at Los Angeles attending court. The postponement of the case for 10 days was a disappointment to him as he had hoped that the matter would soon be fixed up so that he could return home before the Itata sailed. Many of the crew who faithfully stuck to this noted vessel through all her adventures will take vacations ashore for a short time and then return to Chili to rejoice with the refugees.

A Diver Breaks His Neck.

PORTLAND, Sept. 14.—John M. S. Peebles, was accidentally drowned in this city at 5 o'clock this afternoon. Peebles was manager of Parke & Lacy's lumber yard in North Portland, and as was his custom he went down to the river for a swim about 5 o'clock in the afternoon. He dove off a slip five feet above the water, and as he did not come up his companions became alarmed. The water was only six feet deep, and they had no trouble in finding him. Three physicians worked over him nearly two hours, and then he was given up for dead. At the morgue it was discovered that his neck was broken. Deceased was 22 years of age, and a son of R. D. Peebles, manager of the London and San Francisco bank in London.

Eaten by Sharks.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14.—The schooner General Banning arrived from Flats Island with a cargo of cocoanuts. Capt. Spring reports that while loading cargo she was twice blown out to sea by severe storms. On each occasion about 100 natives were on board and they hastened ashore in canoes. The second time several canoes were capsized and the occupants thrown into the water, which swarmed with sharks. Out of the 31 natives 8 were killed and eaten by sharks and one man had his leg bitten off below the knee.

The Hawaiian Cable.

PORT TOWNSEND, Sept. 14.—The U. S. steamer Albatross has gone to San Francisco, under orders to begin the work of surveying the route for the proposed cable between San Francisco and Honolulu at once. The survey will occupy three or four months as soundings must be made at frequent points all along the route.

A Girl Suicides.

SPOKANE, Sept. 14.—Bessie Black, a domestic employed in the family of Dr. Hughes, committed suicide this afternoon by shooting herself through the heart. The girl had two suitors, and is supposed to have been engaged to one of them.

It Affected the Bourse.

PARIS, Sept. 14.—At the opening of Bourse here this morning there was a general weakening of prices owing to the reported action of Great Britain in landing troops at Sigori on the island of Mitylene.

Another Effect.

FRANKFORT, Sept. 14.—The report that Great Britain had seized a portion of the island of Mitylene was circulated here this morning and its effect was to weaken prices on the Bourse.

Mount Tolmie Park. Look it up.

MATTERS IN CHILI.

A Coalition of All the Political Factions Except the Balmacedists.

SANTIAGO, Sept. 14.—Augustine Edwards has joined the cabinet of the Congressional Government as Minister of Public Works and Manuel Alatta as Minister of Foreign Affairs. This forms a coalition of all the political faction except the Balmacedists. Drafts on London to the value of $5,000,000 in favor of Balmaceda's ministers to France and England have been found in the treasury and canceled. The political leaders are consulting as to candidates for president. It is the general opinion that Senor Ramon Lucas will be selected.

Mount Tolmie Park. Look it up.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Steamer Mystery came in last night.

Steamer Hope brought in a large boom of logs yesterday.

Steamer Falcon brought down a scow load of coal this morning.

Steamer City of Puebla arrived from San Francisco at 2:30 this afternoon.

Steamer Maude discharged 1000 cases of salmon at the outer dock this morning.

Steamer Vancouver came in from Howe Sound yesterday with a scow load of cedar bolts.

Steamer Maude took two carloads of furniture to Nanaimo to-day, and will bring back a load of coal.

British bark Lobu, 145 days from London, arrived in Esquimalt Saturday evening, with general cargo for R. P. Rithet & Co., Ltd.

Steamer Barbara Boscowitz arrived down from the north Saturday evening, with a full load of salmon and some box lumber. The canneries have all closed down and most of the salmon has already been shipped.

Russell B. Harrison.

Russell B. Harrison is the only son of President Harrison, and was born about forty years ago in Indianapolis, where he lived with his parents. His connection with public affairs dates from the time his father received the Republican nomination for President. He was, in traveling about the country, naturally sought after by politicians and journalists during the campaign, supposed as he was to possess special knowledge of the subject from his relationship to the

nominee. For a long time he resided in Helena, Montana, where has large interests. He is President of the Daily Journal Company of Montana. Mr. Harrison is the partner of Mr. W. J. Arkell in the ownership of Frank Leslie's illustrated newspaper published in New York. Mr. Arkell is likewise the proprietor of the Judge, in which, it is said, Mr. Harrison has an interest. He is an active business man in New York, and is connected with several enterprises. He has made a few trips to Europe. His wife and his sister have recently returned from a visit there, and a very uncalled for discussion was occasioned by Mr. Harrison's asking for a little Government vessel to meet the family in New York to land them from the Majestic. This seems to be the opinion of sensible men of both political parties.

Mount Tolmie Park. Look it up.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

QUOITS.

The weather of late has been somewhat unfavorable for the quoiters of Spring Ridge, nevertheless during the past week several games well worthy of mention have taken place on George Fairbrother's grounds. Capt. Sieward and R. Cox were matched against Harrison and Ritter, 18 yards, 15 points. Cox and the Captain walked out. Mr. Harrison has excellent style with him and is without question a good quoiter. Captain Sieward astonished everyone, and considering that he has spent so much of his time on the sea this year, his play was remarkable. Walter Nathan played George Bellow a game, 21 yards, 21 points, 3½ lb. quoits. George tried his very best, but Walter was by far the better player and won by 11 points. If the weather keeps right, on Saturday next there will be some good quoiters out.

THE TURF.

The following races have been added to the already published programme of the fall meeting of the Victoria Jockey Club.

POLO PONY RACE.—Prize Cup—Ponies 14 hands 2 inches and under; open only to members of Victoria Polo Club; minimum weight, 145 pounds; distance half mile; open only to ponies that have been used for polo purposes in Victoria.

THE OAR.

HANLAN AND O'CONNOR ARRIVE.

Hanlan and O'Connor arrived at New Westminster yesterday and will at once go into practice. Hanlan says he is willing to meet Gaudaur at any place or time, both men putting up their own stakes. The city that offers the most liberal inducements will secure the right of having the race rowed in its waters.

THE GUN.

There will be a meeting of the Union Gun Club to-morrow evening to make the preliminary arrangements for the reception of the Tacoma club.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

J. Mortimer returned from the East last night.

Mrs. Capt. Rudlin spent Sunday in Vancouver.

Mr. Justice Drake has returned from the assize circuit.

S. M. Robins and G. H. Blakeway, of Nanaimo, are in the city.

Thornton Fell and A. L. Belyea have returned from the Mainland.

A. J. Bucknel and wife are on their way home from San Francisco.

Capt. Wm. Grant and wife returned from the Mainland last evening.

Chas. Wilson was among the Yosemite's passengers from Vancouver last evening.

W. Pooley and wife, of Nicola Lake, have gone to Plymouth, Eng., on a holiday.

Capt. Roberts, of the steamer Kingston, went north on the Islander for a holiday trip.

Captain William Cox leaves for Vancouver to-night, in order to meet Mrs. Cox, who is returning from the East.

Rev. Thos. Baldwin, pastor of the North Baptist church, Seattle, has resigned his pastorate and will take up evangelistic work. Mr. Baldwin is well known in Vancouver, where he at one time ministered.

Mount Tolmie Park. Look it up.

THE TURF CLUB RAIDED.

TWENTY-EIGHT GAMBLERS PAY $25 FINE EACH.

The Police Walk in and Catch a Number of Young Men—Charged With Watching a Game of Chance—Proceedings in the Court This Morning.

Shortly after 12 o'clock on Saturday night a posse of police officers headed by Sergt. Walker, raided the Turf Club at the corner of Yates and Government streets and arrested 28 young and old men. Some were taken to the station in hacks refusing to walk there. The news of the raid soon spread around town and it was not long before the friends of those arrested were at the gate with bail. Mr. Wm. Dalby, J. P., was called in and having signed the informations allowed those who could obtain $50 out on bail for that amount in cash. All but two of the men succeeded in getting the bail.

The cause of the raid was an information laid by a man named Keating, who has been playing with heavy stakes against the games. The council, on the strength of this information, ordered the police to raid the place. When the police appeared the door-keeper rushed up stairs to give the alarm. Sergts. Walker and Levin followed and pushed the doors open before he could lock them. Sergt. Levin went to the faro table and Sergt. Walker to the roulette wheel. Those inside were dumbfounded and did not make an attempt to escape out of the windows or any other way, and they were dealt with as described above.

The chief shareholders had suspected that something was brewing and several of them wanted to close up on Saturday evening but the majority refused and the place was opened as usual. Over $1000 in cash was taken down and put in the safe of a saloon leaving only about $100 for the police to seize. The roulette wheel and other gambling implements which will be seized are valued at close upon $1000.

The city police court was crowded with spectators this morning when the cases were called. Mr. E. V. Bodwell, of Bodwell & Irving, appeared for the defence, and pleaded guilty for each of the prisoners as follows: Charles Steven, Richard Howeth, John Donaldson, Charles W. Tite, Charles Montrose, Jas. G. Ure, Charles Johnson, Ben J. Fleming, F. A. Heubeckheimer, John Forsythe, George Galer, Thos. Dad, John Smith, Alfred Thompson, Wm. Reily, Chas. Freeman, Richard Wallace, Wm. Hannan, Rowland McPherson, William Bart, Samuel Eagle, John Lavin, Jas. Lavin, Jas. Fleming, Michael O'Connor, George Entridge, James Smith, Thos. Farmer, John Bellinger.

Mr. Bodwell submitted that the idea of the act was not to seriously punish the prisoners, but to close houses of the kind.

His Honor agreed with Mr. Bodwell. He interpreted the act as being against houses of the kind, not against the individuals. It meant to render it almost impossible to run houses of the kind.

Mr. Bodwell said there were some strangers among the prisoners who had only been in the town a few hours, and did not know of the severe manner in which gamblers were treated over here.

His Honor said he could not discriminate against anyone, they must all be treated alike. He asked Mr. Bodwell if there were any proprietors of the place among the prisoners.

Mr. Bodwell answered that there were no informations laid against players or proprietors.

Sergts. Levin and Walker gave evidence, deposing that $50.50 had been seized by the officers, and also that the tables produced in court and used for gambling had been found in the room.

A fine of $25 each was imposed by the court and paid by the proprietors of the club. The tables and implements were ordered to be destroyed.

NON-RESIDENTIAL ADVANTAGE.

British Columbia Indians Can Buy Whiskey in the United States.

Jack Thompson was charged with selling liquor to Indians at Seattle on Friday last, but his counsel set up a plea that inasmuch as the Indian was a resident of British Columbia, temporarily domiciled in the United States, that the law did not apply.

District Attorney Patrick Henry Winston, to whom the case was referred, in giving an opinion in court said: "An indictment in such a case could not be sustained unless the Indian is in charge of an Indian agent of the United States. Even the case of American Indians who have severed their tribal relations does not come within the purview of the Federal statute. The Indian in the case is a British subject and is entitled to the rights and privileges of other British subjects."

In dismissing the case Commissioner Emory rendered the following opinion:

The prisoner admits having furnished the whisky, but as the evidence shows that the Indian is a native and resident of British Columbia, temporarily in this state, he does not come within the purview of the Act of Congress punishing the offence. Section 2139, Revised Statutes of the United States, provides for the punishment of "every person who sells, exchanges, gives, barters or disposes of any spiritous liquors or wine to any Indian under the charge of any Indian superintendent or agent." The only question to be considered is: Was this Indian, at the time he purchased the whisky under charge of an Indian superintendent or agent within the meaning of the statute? It is not to be presumed that Congress, in enacting the statute quoted, had reference to any other officers than those appointed under the laws of the United States. The British Columbia Indians, while at home, are under the charge of agents of their own country, while temporarily passing through or residing in this country they are under the protection as any other British subjects. Congress never intended by the act, nor has it the constitutional power, to punish a citizen for selling liquor to a British subject. The general government may make laws regulating "commerce with the Indian tribes" (Sec. 8, Constitution U. S.), but it has never attempted to prohibit the liquor traffic with other than its own Indians.

The power is, however within the police powers of the several states, and our own legislature has, by section 943 of the code, prohibited the disposition of "wines, spirituous liquors, ale, beer, porter, cider or any other intoxicating beverage, to any Indian or Indians within this territory."

The prisoner is discharged from this arrest and the marshall is directed to deliver him to the state authorities with a view to his punishment under the state law.

Mount Tolmie Park. Look it up.

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

The funeral of the late Wm. Clough took place this afternoon.

New Autumn Dress Goods, Plain and Fancy, at the City House.

Two trams were off the track near the Windsor Hotel this afternoon.

Perfect cooking "porridge pots" at McLennan & McFeely's.

The Germania Club will hold an "at home" to-morrow evening in Oliver's Hall.

The Germania Club will hold their first dance of the season in Oliver's Hall to-morrow evening.

Simpson's bon ton tailoring parlors, 86 Government street. Dress suits a specialty.

Morris Ervoll, infant son of L. M. and M. A. Wilkins, died yesterday. The funeral will take place to-morrow.

People say the Dominion Hotel is the place for a 25 cent meal. Twenty-one meal tickets for $4.50.

A young man well known in town was arrested this afternoon for raising a disturbance in a house of illrepute.

Have you seen the Mount Tolmie Herald? Call for a copy at the office of H. E. Crossdalle & Co., 42 Fort St.

Three keys attached to part of a key chain were lost on Saturday evening. Finder will please return same to the TIMES office.

Several carloads of new styles antique oak bedroom suites, sideboards, extension tables, hall racks, etc., just received by Weiler Bros.

The plans and specifications for Walter Wilson's block, at Nanaimo, may be seen at the Lorne Restaurant, Johnson street, to-morrow at 12:30 p.m.

Maurice B. Curtis, or as he is better known, "Sam'l of Posen," is charged in San Francisco with the murder of a policeman, who had arrested him. The evidence is circumstantial, but Curtis seems to be in a bad position.

The Dominion Publishing Company, of Vancouver, who are the sole agents for British Columbia for Col. Macpherson's "Life of Sir John A. Macdonald," wish us to state that their only authorized agent in Victoria is Mrs. McGee. We understand that certain irresponsible parties who have failed to secure agencies, are going about representing themselves as agents for this work. They are nothing of the kind, and will never be able to fill orders for the authentic work. The public are warned against giving an order to any person who, whatever representations he may make, cannot produce a certificate of agency for the territory he is working in.

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To-day's Anniversaries.

Born—Humboldt, 1769.
Died—Wellington, 1852.
St. Chrysostom, 407 A.D.
Dante, 1321.
James Fenimore Cooper, 1851.
Charles Rollin (historian), 1741.
Scott entered Mexico, 1847.
Fulton first ascended the Hudson by steam, 1807.

No Agreement.

A conference of the two committees representing the two factions of miners at Nanaimo was held on Saturday night, after the public meeting held by those in favor of discontinuing assessments. The conference lasted an hour and a half, and finally broke up in disorder. The representatives of the Union stipulated that all back assessments be paid in advance. The other side dissented, and asked for a mass meeting to take a secret vote on the question, and also that the discharged men should be reinstated. The matter will be taken into the courts, some of the discharged men threatening to bring action against Tully Boyce of conspiracy.

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THE "MAUDE."

Of all the boats that cross the straits
The one most loved by all the fates
And carefully guarded by our Lord
Is the good ship we call the "Maude."

She is not noted for her grace
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But as the home for retogees
She takes the cake, nay, the whole cheese.

She is the "Mecca" of steamboat men,
Her doors are always open to them,
Tu Y kok to her as the "Promised Land,"
The "Evening Star" that guides the band.

When other larger and finer boats
Attend no more to him who floats
Adown the stream to poverty's ford
Then they shout the "Maude" the "Maude."

[The above was composed by a well known skipper.]

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OUR OTTAWA LETTER.

CHINESE LABOR QUESTION UNDER DISCUSSION.

British Columbia Members not Present to Take Part in It—Mr. Dewdney, the Man of Destiny, Gets His Oar in—The Comox Mail Service.

From Our Own Correspondent.

OTTAWA, Sept. 3.—In the House of Commons to night there was a brief discussion on the Chinese queston. Of course none of the British Columbia members were present and therefore did not take any part in the debate. The House at the time was in committee of the whole. On such occasions, as is well known, much could be said in laying the views of the Province before Parliament. Hon. Mr. Dewdney, who is in training for the Lieut.-Governorship of your Province, had a good word to say of the Chinese. That will no doubt aid him with some classes in securing it. Discussion came up on an item of $2000 for administration Chinese Act.

Mr. Charlton asked of Mr. Bowell the feeling in British Columbia regarding the Chinese. The reply was that the laboring classes were stronger against them than ever while the employer of labor were the reverse. The Executive Council of British Columbia, he said, passed an Order-in-Council asking the law to be still more rigid.

Mr. Charlton—I have noticed in California on two or three occasions, and also in British Columbia, that the popular feeling with regard to Mongolian immigration was very strongly opposed to it. Although it is customary to indulge in criticisms upon the policy of the Government in throwing impediments in the way of that immigration by a tax of $50, yet I am unable, in view of all the circumstances, to say that the policy is an unwise one. I think the Government have acted wisely in the matter. There certainly must be good reasons for the prejudice that exists against this class of the population, among the white people. That prejudice is universal in Washington, in Oregon and California, as well as in British Columbia so far as my observations and enquiries have gone. The employer of labor, no doubt, who wants cheap labor, would naturally look with favor upon the introduction of that race, but we must remember that the Pacific coast lies very convenient to China, and that if no impediments were placed in the way of immigration, we would have a swarm of Mongolians coming to our shores. I must express my opinion that the policy of the Government on this matter is justified by the circumstances, and that to admit the Chinese without let or hindrance—to invite them, in fact, as we would do by placing no impediments in the way of the immigration—would probably be an unwise policy.

Mr. Trow—During the trip that I took a few years ago to British Columbia, I had conversation with a good many of the leading citizens of Victoria in regard to the Chinese. I remember that the landlord of the largest hotel in the city, the Driard, where they employ some 70 of these Mongolian servants, all males, informed me that there was no possibility of getting white labor, or labor of any kind, other than Chinese. He said they made the very best of servants, and it was almost impossible to get along without their assistance. He was surprised that the Dominion Government should adopt such a rigid law to prevent them from coming into this country. In fact he said that the Canadian Pacific Railway would not be the accomplished fact that it was at that day, that it could not have been constructed in the brief time that it was constructed, had it not been for Chinese labor.

Mr. Campbell—I think it is easy to see that if you allow Chinamen to come at all, you necessarily make white labor very scarce, because no white laborers can exist where there are any Chinamen. Now, if there were no Mongolians in British Columbia at all, there would be no doubt an abundant supply of white labor, because then white men would get better wages and they would go there to live. But, as soon as you allow the Chinamen to come in, they cut down wages so that no white man can live at all. Then they are no good to the country, they do not become naturalized, they simply remain and make a little money and then they go back home and carry it with them. In the Western States and California, especially, where I have had some knowledge of them, they have their Chinese stores, and they bring all their goods, and wearing apparel and everything they use, from China; they do not patronize European houses at all. I think they are of no use at all in the country. They do not develop the resources of this country, they do not build up the country, and I believe that we should put all the impediments we can in the way of their coming here.

Mr. Dewdney—I have had a little experience with this question myself in the western countries, and I can confirm the statement made by the hon. member for Perth (Mr. Trow), with regard to the usefulness of the Chinese as laborers. At the time the Northern Pacific was being built, I was crossing upon the Union Pacific, and after making enquiries into the question of Chinese labor, I was informed that the men who worked in the machine shops, under a white foreman, were all Chinamen. In conversation with railway men they told me if it had not been for Chinese labor, they could not have built the road at all. In the western country where there are mining settlements, they cannot keep white men at all, they rush off like sheep, one after another; but when they have Chinamen they can depend upon them to carry out the work. There is also a strong feeling amongst the people who employ servants in the western country, that they cannot get along without Chinese labor. A few years ago, owing to some difficulty with the leading Chinese of the City of Victoria, the Chinese believing they were harshly treated, all struck work, and every Chinese servant left. They remained out for some months, and the people endeavored to get white labor by sending to California but they were finally obliged to throw up the sponge and give in to the Chinese. They took back their Chinese servants, who have remained ever since. In fact, 99 out of every 100 servants in the western country are Chinese, and the people are able to get no others. On the other hand, there is no doubt that the Chinese tend to bring down the wages of white labor, and that is a difficulty we shall always have to face. At the same time, if the Chinese were excluded to-day in that western country, there would be a great deal of suffering and inconvenience among the employers of labor.

Sir Richard Cartwright—I do not doubt that is true. I do not doubt also that this is a very thorny question with rather more than two sides to it. Still, for all that, it appears to me although it may be that this practice of taxing Chinamen is opposed to British practice. I take it that to a very considerable extent that instinctive feeling which prevails in California and also in British Columbia has its origin in a wholesome feeling of self-preservation.

Mr. Dewdney—No doubt of it.

Sir Richard Cartwright—Looking at this enormous mass of people in China, who might at a very short notice be poured upon the shores of North America, and looking at the fact that they most assuredly will not alter their own civilization for ours, and as we perfectly well know it is an immigration of men pure and simple, they never bringing any respectable Chinese women over——

Mr. Dewdney—Very few.

Sir Richard Cartwright—We are not in a position to depart from the regulation which the Government has laid down. I cannot say I like it, but I am afraid, as I have said, it is absolutely necessary for the preservation of our white civilization that some considerable restriction should be placed upon this immigration.

COMOX MAIL SERVICE.

On the item of mail supply between San Francisco and Victoria, which came up in the House of Commons last evening, Mr. Gordon urged on the Government the advisability of granting a subsidy for a semi-weekly mail service from Victoria to Comox. He pointed out that the people on the intervening islands and between Nanaimo and Comox had mail communication once per week, which is entirely inadequate to the growing necessities of these communities. Ten cents per week is all that is now paid, a sum that is wholly unfit to meet the wants of a semi-weekly service. The people have been in need and clamoring for better service since 1885. Between Nanaimo there was no public road by which mails could be carried, and the people are as much entitled to consideration as these living on the Atlantic coast for which ample provision was made. Comox was now an outpost for which he, Mr. Gordon, had no doubt the exports next year would amount to not less than $500,000. The coal mines there are very valuable and situated in the midst of a fine agricultural district that is progressing very fast. He hoped the Minister of Finance would give the matter his serious consideration, but still no assurance came from that quarter and the item was declared carried.

SLABTOWN.

MORE WAR TALK

Emperor William's Menacing Speech—Bavarians Want Bread, Not Blood.

BERLIN, Sept. 14.—There was a parade of all the troops stationed in the Cassel district on Saturday, which afforded a brilliant spectacle. The Emperor and Empress, the King of Saxony, the Grand Duke of Hesse, the Grand Duke of Saxe-Weimer, the Duke of Ediaburgh, Prince and Princess Henry of Prussia, Prince Albrecht and others of high rank were present. Emperor William will now go to Erfurt, where he will review the Fourth army corps.

Some of the phrases used by his majesty in his speech at the banquet at Cassel have added to the uneasiness which now prevails throughout the country. He recalled the time when, as a staff officer, he entered Cassel in 1871 with the victorious Hessian troops. He trusted, he said that the Hessians, in the event of foreign struggles, would help him to fulfil his duties. Coming so soon after the allusions made at Munich to the future triumphs of the Bavarian troops, his majesty's utterances at the castle is felt to be a veiled menace to foreign enemies and a warning for the country to courageously prepare for trouble. Still the convictions remains unshaken in official circles that a prolonged period of diplomatic intrigue will precede a collision of the powers.

The Munich Tagblatt denies the official statement that Emperor William was accorded an enthusiastic reception on the occasion of his late visit to the Bavarian capital. On the contrary, it says, he was received with chilling indifference by the people. It attributes this to the fact that the people of Bavaria see in the Emperor the emblem of dearness of living and the source of approaching war, threatening the ruin of the country. If the Imperial Government, the Tagblatt says, desires to be loved instead of detested, it must cheapen food and abide by the policy of peace.

MUNICH, Sept. 12.—At the close Bavarian manœuvers to-day Emperor William congratulated Regent Prince Luitpold upon the efficiency of the army, saying he was convinced that the Bavarian army was capable of meeting any emergency and that it would prove equal to its record made at Weissbrucken and at Sedan.

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	Russells	6	6:34	8:34
	Goldstream	11	6:41	8:41
	Shawnigan Lake	24	6:56	8:56
	Cobble Hill	30	7:05	9:05
	Mountain View	34	7:11	9:11
	Duncan's	40	7:19	9:19
	Somenos	45	7:26	9:26
	Chemainus	52	7:35	9:35
	Nanaimo	74	Lv. 8:00	Ar. 11:00
	Wellington	78	Lv. 8:10	Ar. 11:10

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	Russells	6	8:34	2:34
	Goldstream	11	8:41	2:41
	Shawnigan Lake	24	8:56	2:56
	Cobble Hill	30	9:05	3:05
	Mountain View	34	9:11	3:11
	Duncan's	40	9:19	3:19
	Somenos	45	9:26	3:26
	Chemainus	52	9:35	3:35
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MINERS' MEETING.

The Union Difficulty at Nanaimo—A Committee to Settle Differences.

NANAIMO, Sept. 14.—The miners opposed to the assessment met in the Institute Hall at 4:30, on Saturday, to receive the report of the committee appointed to confer with a committee from the lodge to compromise the difficulty. Mr. R. Bates was elected to the chair.

Mr. G. Ramsey reported that the committee had failed to bring the matter to a successful issue. He was well aware there were faults on both sides, and he had endeavored to show them at the meeting of the lodge on Monday night where they were wrong. He suggested that the committee to be appointed this afternoon receive more power than the present one, so that they may be enabled to settle the matter if possible.

J. Gamble—I never could understand who gave Tully Boyce the authority to have control over me. I have always looked after my own business without him. Now he comes along here and dictates to us what we shall do. I think we are all capable of looking after our own affairs. I don't for my part agree to Tully Boyce framing laws and binding me to them. I don't want anything to do with his laws, and because I don't he will try to starve me into submission. I don't calculate to let him do this with me. I think he should mind his own business and he will be better thought of. (Cheers.)

The chairman said in regard to the assessment there are men paying it who don't want to do so, but they are doing it through fear. It appeared to him that if the committee were given sufficient power they would soon settle the matter, and whatever decision they came to we would have to abide by it. He took it that every one present considered themselves good union men, but they were opposed to paying the assessment.

D. Edwards—We are told there are men here this afternoon who don't want to pay the assessment, but they are compelled to. Well, I think there are some who are glad to pay in order that they may retain their work. I was one of those who voted against paying the assessment at the mass meeting, but I abided by the decision of the majority and kept on paying. I know I am doing an injustice to myself by paying it, but I do so like any other good union man does. Now, since there has been a strong protest I think it is time another mass meeting was called and the feeling ascertained by a secret ballot. He didn't care whether a man has paid up or not, he should have a voice.

John Ducca said it was difficult to get the men to come to a mass meeting. He had belonged to the association ever since it started and had always taken a great interest in it, and although he would like to see the matter settled he was opposed to paying any more assessments. He had been sick for some time and did not pay the levy, then he received notice that his services were no longer required.

The chairman remarked that every one knew what the grievance was, and that it would not facilitate matters to bring them up again.

P. Hyde was of the opinion that there had been enough said about it, and desired to see the strike delared off as soon as possible.

R. Pyper thought it would be useless sending a committee to confer with the other faction. Last Saturday night, when we went to the Union, it was nothing but spit and fire. I think it will soon settle itself, as they can't discharge any more men, and so let us support the men who have been discharged.

J. Hanlan moved that another committee be appointed and instructed to call a mass meeting and take a secret ballot.

S. Ramsey—It has been said it will be useless to appoint a committee; if the committee appointed have done all in their power to arrange matters, it is not their fault if they have been unsuccessful. He thought if every one gave their voice to the matter it would soon be settled. He was not in favor of defying any one, as had been suggested. Mr. Robins has discharged so many men, but they can only be reinstated by acting in a proper spirit. If we cannot come to a peaceful settlement with the other faction we must depend on Mr. Robias, and I think it will be advisable to appoint a committee and endeavor to have the difficulty settled.

D. McKinnell—Mr. Robins is the man who first put the names up, and I think he is the man we should go to, and ask him to reinstate them, and if he refuses to do so let us stay with the men who are out. Are we going to be carried by a dozen votes such as we saw at the lodge meeting on Monday night? If we are, I say let us take action.

W. Roos advised that a committee be appointed to-night to confer with the other faction, as many changes had taken place during the week, and he felt confident that a settlement could be effected. He therefore seconded Mr. Hanlan's motion.

A miner—Shall we give the committee the power to say whether we shall pay the assessment or not? For my part I will not abide by it.

T. Wakeman—I for one will not give them a ten-cent piece; they have me on the head of the list. Out at the lodge meeting last Monday night there were eleven so called loyal members carried the vote to appoint a committee of ten.

G. Burt—There were not enough in the hall to appoint a committee, but they appointed three men and gave them power to select a committee, and I would like to ask if the hundreds present are to be governed by a few men like that.

W. Roos looked upon the action of the union as a disgrace to civilization, to treat them as these men had done. It has been suggested that we go to Mr. Robins, but it must be remembered he is compromised to the union and they alone are responsible. It is from them that pressure has been brought to bear on Mr. Robins.

R. Pyper—Mr. Robins has reserved the right to amend that agreement within 30 days at any time, and I think if the committee appointed waited upon him they could soon find a way of settling the matter.

R. Carr favored the appointment of another committee and to give them an equal power to that received by the other faction from Tully Boyce.

C. Carmichael moved an amendment that the standing committee be appointed, as in his opinion any man of them could safely be trusted to do the right thing and give them full power to settle the matter.

W. Roos felt confident that a settlement could be effected but he declined to act if his hands were tied.

D. Edwards and R. Carr spoke in favor of giving the committee power to settle the matter.

T. Myles claimed there was a split in the union and it was the same as a man having his arm broken, there was a way to mend it. They would never gain anything by bulldozing, and if a committee is appointed they must receive the necessary power.

The motion was put and lost and the amendment carried and the meeting adjourned.

Inland News.

Inland Sentinel: Mr. and Mrs. H. Bostock have been in this country since May looking after their large ranching property at Ducks. They intend returning home to England, starting next Wednesday.

From the Vernon News.]

Mr. Schoonover, who returned to the lower country last Friday, has done a great deal of prospecting up the Kettle river between the mouth of Rock creek and Monashee mountain—comprising an extent of country 70 miles in length. He states that there is considerable land fit for settlement up the river and that it will doubtless soon be taken up. At present there is only one settler there. Quite a number of prospectors are going over the country between the Columbia river and the north fork of Kettle river. The trails throughout the Osooyos and Kettle river country are in very good condition, thanks to work done on them by government this year. The road from Penticton to Osooyos is also being altered and repaired near White Lake, to avoid the heavy sand hills leading down to the river. Nothing is being done at the coal claims near Dog Lake except by Mr. Manson McMillen, who has sunk a shaft to a depth of 40 ft., the seam increasing in width as he advances. There is little doing on the coal claims on Kettle River, near Boundary Creek. Not having visited Vernon for several years Mr. S. could scarcely recognize the town under its altered appearance.

A meeting of directors of the Okanagan and Spallumcheen Agricultural Society was held on Monday evening in the school house, to decide the date of the fall show and to arrange a number of minor matters in connection therewith. After some discussion as to what date would fall in best with the Ashcroft show and the Kamloops races, it was carried unanimously that the date be fixed for the 14th and 15th of October. This will enable people to attend all three attractions. The prize list was then carefully revised and other business transacted, the meeting adjourning at a late hour. Catalogues and prize lists will be distributed as soon as possible.

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THAT HOTEL SITE.

The Colonist has a perfect right to endorse the report of the committee on the Canada Western hotel site, but we submit that in garbling the remarks of the TIMES in support of its opinion, it is both disingenuous and unfair. If Victoria is to remain as it is, that is to say, if the demands of commerce on the inner harbor are not to exceed those of the present, the site chosen is "tolerable" but still objectionable. The Canada Western should be situated somewhere above Douglas street. The TIMES never approved of the locality of James Bay for a hotel site. When the project was first announced and work commenced, the TIMES, supposing the matter to be a foregone conclusion, felt that it would be an act of supererogation to criticise. What was essentially a private enterprise and what had been definitely settled upon, was no more a proper subject for criticism than would be a site an individual should chose for a private residence. But the hotel failed to materialize. The project raised again, however, the question of site being involved, and besides being a matter in which the entire city felt a concern, criticism became legitimate, and the TIMES availed itself of the opportunity. Nor does the TIMES see any reason to change its mind in any particular. The site has nothing to recommend it, whether from a sanitary or scenic point. Before five years have passed, the Canada Western, if located as proposed, will be superseded by a hotel situate in a locality which will better recommend itself to the traveling public.

MR. CHOCHRANE'S METHODS.

The evidence in the Chochrane case shows beyond a doubt that in East Northumberland the sale of Federal offices was carried on openly and systematically. A regular tariff of prices was fixed and submitted to. Half a year's salary was the size of the toll, or perhaps it should be called blackmail. A light house keeper, whose salary was $400, was bled in the sum of $200, while the men who earned $1.25 a day, and that only during the season of navigation, had to pay $125 or $150. The Tories endeavored to offset this by saying that these men were simply paying their share of election expenses. The fact is none of these men were prominent in politics. One had never subscribed a dollar for political purposes before; another had paid $2 in eight years. The election returns make it appear that there are 2500 Conservative voters in East Northumberland and if each had contributed in the same proportion as the bridge tenders and the lighthouse keepers, they would have raised a party fund, which, as the Globe points out, would have more than equalled the amount the Old Man got out of Sir Hugh. In the light of the developments of this never to be forgotten session of Parliament, shall we suppose that Tory rottenness is confined to places? No! The blight is widespread. If the veil could only be lifted it would be discovered that where there has been Tory rule there has been corruption.

THE EASTERN QUESTION.

Lord Salisbury has, or is about to propose another conference of the powers in relation to the Eastern question. It has been the uniform practice of Russia—and Russia is the Eastern question—to seek, "by sap and mine" as a British statesman put it, to make gradual advance into Europe and toward the Pacific through Asia by breaking treaty stipulations after long intervals and leaving consignatories to find a new way to bind her, and by forcibly taking what diplomacy will not concede. It has been recently shown that, since Peter the Great set out in the direction of the Baltic, and Catherine II. toward the Crimea and Poland, the Russian frontier has advanced 700 miles toward Berlin, Dresden, Vienna and Paris; toward Constantinople 500 miles, to Stockholm 630 miles, to Teheran 1000 miles and to Peshawar 1300 miles. It is evident that a secret compact has been accomplished with Turkey regarding the Dardanelles. It is obvious that this compact means that, in default of payment of the 300,000,000 roubles due since the war of 1878, the Porte has given Russia a new advantage by which her interests are still further advanced.

The implied proposal of the new conference on the eastern question is the enforcement of treaty stipulations concerning war ships in the Bosphorus and Straits of Dardanelles. Closing of these to war ships was established as the common interest of all western powers in 1833, and was due to the intervention of England and France to save Turkey from absorption by Russia. Russia was obliged to concur in a stipulation that the ancient prerogative of the Ottoman empire should be respected, and that the channel of Constantinople should remain barred to war vessels. In 1870 the Czar officially declared that the Black Sea clauses of the treaty of Paris, 1856, would no longer be binding on Russia. These clauses were that the sea was open to the mercantile marine of all nations, but in perpetuity closed to the flag of war; and the Czar engaged not to establish or maintain on its coast any military maritime arsenal. The docks and fortifications of Sebastopol were at that time destroyed.

England, unwilling to war without allies, and unable to get any on that issue, sought advice from Bismarck. Bismarck, who desired to cement friendship with Russia, proposed a conference at St. Petersburg, but England objected and it was held instead in London. Once again the Straits were declared not open to war vessels, with this qualification, the Porte might open them to the war vessels of friendly and allied powers in case he deemed it necessary for the execution of previous treaty agreements. Under this qualification Russia speedily sent into the Black Sea, to reconstruct and fortify Sebastopol more strongly than ever; to establish other fortified ports and fill maritime arsenals with munitions of war. By the treaty of San Stefano, following the war of 1878, Turkey once more substantially gave Russia easy access to the Mediterranean and once again England had to take action to protect the Suez highway and her commercial interests in the East. This led to the Berlin treaty.

Under the treaty Russia acquired Ardham, Kars and Batoum, and England agreed to take up arms in defense of Turkey should Russia exceed the territorial gains thus conceded, Turkey giving Cypress to England. Turkey will now allege that in permitting Russian transport ships to pass the Straits she was within the treaty cover. But England is uneasy about the Suez canal, and the French understanding with Russia makes her naturally uneasy about Egypt. The question now arises, does England regard the matter of enough importance to fight over, and if so, failing to get allies, will she fight alone? The presumption is she will not; but if she should succeed in getting allies it will be the signal for the long expected European war.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Speaking of the agreement of the American Sugar Refining and the Spreckels Company, which will put an end to competition between them, the Denver Republican observes that "it is always thus. The great companies, like these two, may quarrel for a little while, but they soon adjust their differences and make common war upon the public."

Mr. Rykert continues to declare that he could a tale unfold if he was given an opportunity. The Toronto Mail suggests that he be requested to unfold it. So say we. What is wanted is a thorough cleaning out of the Augean stables The rascals should all be made to go. By all means let Mr. Rykert play the role of Hercules if he so wishes.

Lieut.-Governor Schultz made it as an excuse for not taking the witness stand first that all his papers and memoranda were locked up in a bank safe and were not then obtainable. Nevertheless, as soon as Mr. Stewart had been sworn he pulled the papers from his pocket, and proceeded to use them in cross-questioning the witness. This should seem to prove that Lieut.-Governor Schultz had prevaricated. And this is the man the Tory papers describe as having come out of his investigation with flying colors.

It is the intention of the German Kaiser to exclude newspaper correspondents when he shall engage in real war. That would, probably, reduce the mortality among journalists. The press correspondents have suffered more, in our modern wars, in proportion, than the armies on either side. The officers and rank and file of the army have never shown a proportionate loss. In the little war in Servia there were but ten newspaper correspondents, and three were killed and four wounded. That is 70 per cent.

An English Engineer named Edward Field has discovered a new fact in connection with the use of steam, which will likely cause a great reduction in the cost of operating steam engines. He has found that hot air may be mixed with steam in the cylinder of a steam engine with good results. This mixture is in the proportion of one part of steam to eight of hot air, the air being raised to a temperature of not less than 400 degrees Fahrenheit. It is said that there is an economy of 44 per cent. in this method over the use of steam alone, and it is believed that the saving in expense could, by certain improvements, be greatly increased.

Rear Admiral Reveillere, of the French navy, is of opinion that the employment of shells charged with melinite "renders the idea of any serious defence being offered by the majority of existing ships purely illusory." A shell charged with this explosive scatters its deadly hail over a radius of 400 yards from the point of explosion. A 6.29 inch shell bursting on the main deck battery of such a ship for instance, as the Admiral Duferse, would be sufficient to destroy the whole of the gun crews. The enormous power of the new guns of 45 calibres using the Vieille powder and the introduction of quick firing guns will make it sufficient to carry only medium guns to fight a ship above the water line, and the Whitehead torpedo to deal with her below the water line. Ships will succumb through the destruction of their personnel, and for this guns of medium size will amply suffice; special attention must, however, be paid to devising the best means for supplying them with ammunition by separate and short hoists for each gun. As regards heavy guns, they should occupy quite a secondary place in the armament of a ship.

Mount Tolmie Park. Look it up.

THE PRESBYTERY WILL TAKE ACTION.

TO THE EDITOR:—We have read with extreme surprise and regret, the letter of Mr. Lewis, to the Halifax Witness, and republished extensively in the press of this province. We desire on behalf of the Presbytery and of its Home Mission committee, to repudiate most emphatically his extraordinary statements, and to assure the public that the Presbytery will take the earliest opportunity of dealing with Mr. Lewis, in reference to his conduct in this matter; and that the results of their deliberations will be as widely circulated as possible throughout the country. A meeting of the Presbytery will be called for the 25th instant at Vancouver for this purpose.

P. McF. MACLEOD, Convener H. M. Com.
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AN ARBITRARY PRESBYTERY.

TO THE EDITOR.—I take the following from the New Westminster items of the Colonist: "J. N. Muir turned up (at the Presbytery) and made himself conspicuous; but could not influence the assembly. He has issued an interesting pamphlet." I had been summoned to appear at this meeting of Presbytery, for what I did not nor do I yet know. I send you enclosed a copy of the circular. I was asked by the Presbytery to withdraw the circular or to apologise. I asked the chairman if the statements therein were true or false. He replied, "Oh, we have nothing to do with that." I then said that I believed the statements to be true, and that I was prepared to prove them true; and therefore I would neither withdraw them nor apologise. Without any trial or other evidence, or allowing me to say one word in my defence, I was deprived of church membership indefinitely, for contumacious resistance to the authority of the church!!!

Is it not evident that the noisy moral reformers of last December had better begin in the church; because I do not believe that the same number of saloon keepers anywhere in this Province would so disgrace Christianity as has the Presbytery.

I challenge any member of Presbytery to deny over his signature the statements in the circular.

J. N. MUIR.

Mount Tolmie Park. Look it up.

THE ESQUIMALT CAR SERVICE AND TRESTLES.

TO THE EDITOR:—As a rule I dislike to wrestle with a correspondent who fires from behind the hedge of a borrowed name. But the charges preferred by "Esquimalt" against the tramway company—amounting as they do to criminal neglect for the public safety—were so serious that to have remained silent would have been a tacit admission of culpability.

In his first letter "Esquimalt" asserted that "the trestling by the canteen sways six or eight inches out of plum every time a car passes." He added that the sway had been reported at the office "and has never been attended to yet." In reply I produced the statement of Mr. Gore, C.E., and Mr. Dimmock, trackmaster, certifying to the safe condition of the trestle. In his reply "Esquimalt" does not repeat his ridiculous assertion that the trestle sways six or eight inches; but he maintains that it sways. He probably ascertained between writing his first and second letters that for a trestle to sway six or eight inches would be fatal to it. As a matter of fact, it would go down at once. Now, I maintain that the trestle is in at least as good a condition as when it was first erected a year ago. The sills, bents and braces show no sign of rot. Not a spike, or sway-brace has started from its original position, which would not have been the case had the trestle swayed even two inches. As to the charge of neglect, I say positively that it is untrue. Every report that has been made concerning the trestles has been at once attended to, and in addition, a thorough inspection is made at least once a week of both trestles on the Esquimalt line. If a disaster should occur it will be through no fault of the officials of the company.

As to the charge of over-crowding, "Esquimalt" ought to know that it is a loss to the company to overload the motors, and after trips with large loads extensive repairs have been necessary. Everything that can be, is being done to accommodate the traffic, but no force short of a cordon of police can prevent the cars being overcrowded when everyone wishes to travel at once. "Esquimalt" might ease up a little on the motors by consenting to walk on such occasions; but I fear he is as inconsiderate as the rest and makes one of the seething, struggling mass of people who want to get home in time for their meals. If I am correctly informed, Mr. Editor, "Esquimalt" after writing his first letter to you, rode over the very trestle which he condemned as unsafe, and has continued to do so almost daily since.

D. W. HIGGINS.

Mount Tolmie Park. Look it up.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 18[illegible]

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LAND NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands on Hernando Island, in Sayward District. Commencing at a post at the northwest corner of W. Blaney's pre-emption claim; thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains to the place of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

WILLIAM HARRIS. Vancouver, July 30th, 1891. ly30

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date we the undersigned intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situate on Compton Island, Work Channel, Coast District: Commencing at a stake at southwest corner of Indian Reserve; thence north 60 chains; thence west to water on Work Channel; thence in a southeasterly direction to point of commencement. Containing 300 acres, more or less.

E. G. CAVALSKY. V. P. E. CAVALSKY. J. K. GILBERT. Victoria, B.C., Aug. 31, 1891. se1

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase six hundred and forty (640) acres of land, more or less, in the Gold stream District, described as follows:—Commencing at the northeast corner of the claim marked L H J; thence east 80 chains to a post marked J T; thence south 80 chains to a post marked T; thence west 80 chains to a post marked T L; thence north 80 chains to a post marked T L H J, being the point of commencement.

LEWIS THOMAS. Victoria, B.C., Sept. 7, 1891. se7-3m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 300 acres in Ruperts District as follows:—East ½ of Sec. 32, Tp. 6. SKENE LOWE. Victoria, Aug. 31st, 1891. se7

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase one island in the Kokstall River, Coast District, about 10 miles from its mouth, and two miles south of the Big Falls, containing 150 acres of land, more or less.

P. HERMAN. Port Essington, Aug. 12, 1891. se2-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land, situated on the Larita River, Alberni District. Commencing at the southeast corner of land applied for by E. McCoskrie, jr.; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south to the place of commencement; containing 640 acres, more or less.

ALEX. CAMPBELL. GEORGE JONES. Victoria, B.C., August 25th, 1891. au28-3m

Mount Tolmie Park. Look it up.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase six hundred and forty (640) acres of land, more or less, situated in the Goldstream District, described as follows:—Commencing at the northwest corner of the claim marked L; thence north 80 chains to a post marked H; thence east 80 chains to a post marked H; thence south 80 chains to a post marked H; thence west 80 chains to a post marked L H, being the point of commencement.

J. HOLLAND. Victoria, B.C., Sept. 7, 1891. se7-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase six hundred and forty (640) acres of land, more or less, situated in the Goldstream District, described as follows:—Commencing at a post marked L, 80 chains from the northeast corner of lot 56 in the Sooke District; thence north 80 chains to a post marked L; thence east 80 chains to a post marked L; thence south 80 chains to a post marked L; thence west 80 chains to a post marked L, being point of commencement.

W. L. LYNN. Victoria, B.C., Sept. 7, 1891. se7-2m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described piece of land situate near Barclay Sound, Alberni District:—Commencing at a post at the southeast corner of land applied for by John Brudens; thence north 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 80 chains to place of beginning. Containing 320 acres, more or less.

GEO. W. HAYNES. Alberni District, Aug. 28, 1891. se2-m

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 776, 777, 786, 787, 852, 910, 941, 942, 960, 961, 965, 970, 971, 992, 1005 and half of lot 993 in the City of Victoria.

WHEREAS the Certificate of Title of Prosper Muse to the above property, bearing date the 12th day of April, 1861, has been lost and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate; Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar General. Land Registry Office, Victoria, 22nd August, 1891. au23-1m

Mount Tolmie Park. Look it up.

THE CITY AND DISTRICT

Vernon vs. The Times.

The plaintiff in this case, Hon. F. G. Vernon, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, has applied for an order to postpone the date of trial to the 24th instant. There was no judge in chambers this morning, so this application with several others was postponed till to-morrow.

More Sealers Coming.

Schooner Sapphire, Captain Clarence Cox, returned from the west coast this morning after having left her Indian hunters at home. On her way up the Straits she spoke the schooner "Oscar and Hattie" with 1100 skins, the "Ventura" with 639 and the "Wanderer" with 500. They will all most likely be in to-night.

Still They Come.

Private advices from North Sydney, Cape Breton, report that town "all agog" with excitement over the good catches of the sealing schooners "Annie C. Moore," "Carmolite," and "Umbrina." Two more sealing syndicates are forming and several vessels are likely to leave the Atlantic coast this fall for British Columbia.

For One Week.

D. Campbell & Co., the leading tailors, will offer for one week only, an extraordinary reduction in suits made to order. Observe the following bargains: $30 suits for $25; $35 suits for $30; $40 suits for $35. Pants from $8 to $12, formerly $10 to $14. This is the last chance for this season.

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Cannot Come.

Secretary Lindley, of the tournament committee, has received a letter from Wm. Code, chief of the Winnipeg fire department stating that the Winnipeg team cannot come here to the tournament as the exhibition takes place in Winnipeg at the same time. He wishes the boys success, however.

Blew His Thumb Off.

The little son of Thomas Piercey, keeper of the Yellow Rock lighthouse, Comox, had a bad accident one day last week. The child picked up a dynamite cap left by one of the men who had been blasting there, and, childlike, was scraping it. The result was an explosion, blowing away the greater part of the lad's thumb.

The Crops.

The rain of last week has done a great deal of damage to the grain around Victoria district. The grain that was about ready to be taken in is wet through and will take several days to dry and should more rain come during that time it will be completely ruined. The crops not yet cut will not suffer if dry weather continues another week.

For Northern Points.

The C. P. N. Companys' steamer Islander left this afternoon for Fort Simpson and other northern points. She had a big load of freight, Indians and the following white passengers: Capt. Geo. Roberts, Mrs. Flewin, Miss Hyde, Mr. Copeland, D. Sullivan, Jno. Brittain and C. P. Ryan. She will bring down a full load of salmon.

The First Canadian.

Francis John Nicholson, son of John Nicholson teacher at Victoria West, who won the Governor-General's medal at the Summer exams of the Victoria High school, has been admitted to the Leland Stanford, jr., University at Palo Alto, California. He took his admission examination at Seattle a few months ago. He will be the first Canadian boy to enter the new university.

Sudden Death.

The many friends of Mr. John Gilligan were surprised yesterday morning to learn of his sudden demise at an early hour. The deceased had only been ill for a few days with typhoid fever, which disease carried him off. He was 25 years of age and a Victorian. He was a member of the Ancient Order of Foresters, among the members of which he was a great favorite. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning, from his late residence at 9 a.m., and from St. Andrew's pro-cathedral at 9:30.

Opening Sale Mount Tolmie Park.

Look out for the opening sale of lots and houses at Mount Tolmie Park. The time when this sale begins will be announced to-morrow. The property will be sold only at a private sale, being at a fixed time to give each purchaser an equal opportunity to make a selection. All persons interested in the association's liberal offer should examine the property as early as convenient so as to be prepared to make a selection when the sale opens. Tickets for the bus form Jubilee Hospital will be supplied at the office of H. E. Crossdale & Co.

City of San Diego Returns.

On Saturday evening the sealing schooner City of San Diego arrived in port in tow of the steamer Emma. Her total catch for the season was 1165 skins. She was warned out of Behring Sea by the Thetis on June 28th—the same day she entered — and immediately proceeded to Copper Island, where the hunters were very successful. The San Diego confirms the wounding of Capt. Dan McLean by the Russians, and the seizure of his brother's vessel. When last heard from the Teresa had 467 skins, the Webster 650, the Lewis 490, the Kate and Annie 493 and the Penelope 800.

Police Court Notes.

The court room was crowded with interested spectators. Geo. Deshan and Mike McGreon, Indians, both pleaded guilty to being drunk and were fined $5. The other drunks were Thomas Denny and Jos. Brown, who received the same fine. For obstructing the sidewalk Ah Hing and Ah U were both fined $5. Dan Templeton, remanded from Saturday for larceny, was this morning discharged. Jennie, an Indian woman, charged with having liquor in her possession, and Ah Jim, for supplying liquor to Indians, were remanded till to-morrow. John Burt was charged with assault and robbery. As the prosecutor did not appear the case was remanded till to-morrow.

Mount Tolmie Park. Look it up.

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An apprentice to learn the millinery business. Enquire of Mrs. Bowness, Lansdowne House. sep11-tf

New Offices.

Heisterman & Co., it is understood, are negotiating for handsome and commodious offices on Government street, and intend having the best on the street.

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Court of Revision.

The Court of Revision was in session this afternoon, when a number of appeals were heard, some being sustained and others lowered. There were present Mayor Grant and Ald. Renouf, Munn, McKillican and Smith.

The Balance Start.

The balance of the seal skins and several bales of whalebone which make up the special N.P.R. seal skin train left for Tacoma on the City of Kingston last evening. The train will leave for the east immediately with its $255,000 cargo.

Every Man His Own Capitalist.

By purchasing a lot at Mount Tolmie Park, a man can provide for the erection of a home at such a time and of such value as he may desire, without further concern about the question of finance. When the house is required it will be forthcoming, the purchaser only being called upon for insignificant monthly payments. The Mount Tolmie Herald will give full particulars. Apply for a copy.

Look it up.

A New Illustrated Paper.

The Mount Tolmie Herald, published by the Mount Tolmie Home Building Association of Victoria, will make its first appearance to-morrow. It is handsomely printed on fine book paper and is profusely illustrated with fine zinc engravings of views of Victoria and Mount Tolmie Park. Details of the association's plans for the extensive improvement of the park property by the erection of 200 houses, which will be sold on easiest monthly payments are fully set forth. Apply at the office of H. E. Crossdale & Co., for a copy.

Another Face Missing.

One more familiar face is missing through the death of Mr. H. O. Tiedemann, which event occurred Saturday, at his residence. Deceased, whose demise has been expected for some time, was one of the landmarks of Victoria. He came here in the "early days," and has watched Victoria's progress from a hamlet to a town, and from a town to a thriving city. He designed and superintended the construction of the pioneers among the residential and business buildings of Victoria. Mr. Tiedemann witnessed Victoria pass through many vicissitudes, but always had faith in her ultimate success, and was rewarded for his confidence. He was an architect and surveyor of ability, and was engaged in more than one important survey. Mr. Tiedemann had reached the allotted span of three score and ten before his family was deprived of his guardianship. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon.

Mount Tolmie Park. Look it up.

Concert To-Morrow Evening.

The following programme will be rendered at the concert to be given in the Pandora avenue Methodist church to-morrow evening:

FIRST PART.

Instrumental Solo.....Selected
Mr. S. Brown
Solo—"They all Love Jack".....Adams
Mr. W. Blicht.
Song for Cornet and Piano.....
Miss Andrews and Mr. J. Pardit.
Solo—Venezia Napoli Tarantelle.....Liszt
Prof. Strauss.
Solo—"Zion".....Parker
Mrs. C. Spencer.
Duetz—"When the Wind Bloweth in From the Sea".....Smart
Miss Cusack and Mr. Cunningham.

SECOND PART.

Orchestral Selection.....Selected
Pardit Bros.
Solo—"Angus Macdonald".....Rockel
Mrs. Partridge.
Recitation—"Belshazzar's Feast", Mrs. Hemans
Miss Shelvey.
Solo—"Spinnerlied" from Flying Dutchman.....Wagner Liszt
Prof. Strauss.
Solo—"Unforgotten Eyes".....Hatton
Mr. E. H. Russell
Quintette—"Sleep the Bird is in its Nest".....
Misses Berridge Cusack, and Honor, Messrs. Russell and Cline.

Mount Tolmie Park. Look it up.

Sol Smith Russell in "Peaceful Valley."

To formulate a character for Mr. Russell which should successfully follow his admirably artistic performance of Noah Vale in "A Poor Relation" was not an easy task. It is therefore gratifying to know that Mr. Edw. E. Kidder, the author has in "Peaceful Valley" met with success in giving Mr. Russell another great character in which he has found another artistic and financial triumph. In this new play the admirable comedian has created the character of "Hosea Howe" a native of the White Mountains. Full of integrity, nobility of soul, with absolute scorn of vice, yet with keenest sense of humor and quaintest methods of imparting it. Hosea stands like a rock amid the shifting and exciting scenes. The play, it is said, is full of spirit of humanity and creates interest both in its comic and pathetic portions. Mr. Russell has surrounded himself with one of the strongest supporting companies on the road and the play is mounted with special scenery. The appearance in this city of Sol Smith Russell and the production of "Peaceful Valley" will take place at the Victoria this evening.

The World Enriched.

The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

Mount Tolmie Park. Look it up.

WASHINGTON PRESSMEN.

A Visit to Victoria of Sixty Newspaper Men and Their Better Halves.

The visit to the city on Saturday evening of a party of 60 ladies and gentlemen, of the Washington Press Association, which met last week in Tacoma, was a sort of surprise party to the pressmen of Victoria. The party was headed by President Strong, of Tacoma; Vice-President C. M. Barton, of Olympia; Secretary O. M. Moore and Assistant Secretary M. D. Egbert. In the evening a meeting, for the transaction of Association business, was held in the Driard House parlor. A discussion on "patent insides," so startled Mr. Redon that he sought the head chef and gave particular instructions for the following day. "We will show them fellers," said Mons., "that patent insides are not needed in this house." Nevertheless a resolution was adopted promising the support of the Association to any company that will open an office for their production in Washington.

Mayor Grant—who, by the way, is fast emulating Chauncey Depew as a convivial orator—welcomed the visitors in a graceful speech. Mayor Barton, of Olympia, responded with equal felicity, and afterwards Messrs. Templeman and Ellis, of the city press, seconded His Worship's efforts, and Mr. Butler and others replied.

On Sunday forenoon all the visitors attended church, a preference having been expressed for the Church of England. At 1.30 the cars were taken to Esquimalt, and the dock and the warship were inspected. On the return the motor of the car gave out, and the party walked to the top of the hill, where the religious editor of a Spokane paper related one or two seasonable stories while waiting for the cars. The visitors took their departure on the City of Kingston at 8 o'clock, all very much delighted with their visit to Victoria.

ON THE ROCKS.

Two Unlucky Days for Steamboats—Five Run Ashore.

Saturday and Sunday were unlucky days for steamboats, five of them being reported to have touched ground around the coast. The steamer Badger with the schr. Bonanza in tow is reported to have been ashore in False Narrows about six miles this side of Nanaimo all day Saturday. Both steamer and schooner it is said were on the rocks. They got to Nanaimo yesterday.

The steamer Louis, of Vancouver, is on Coal Island with nothing but her smoke stack and cabin above water. It is understood that the captain had made a mistake in the Island, but as no word has yet been sent to Victoria it is not known how the accident occurred or how badly the steamer is injured. The steamer Mascotte was helping the stranded steamer early this morning. The Louis was on the way from Vancouver when she went ashore.

The steamer Rainbow went ashore just inside of the Narrows entrance to Vancouver as she was coming out of that port yesterday. She lay on the rocks all day until the turn of the tide. There was a very thick fog at the time. The Rainbow put back to Vancouver.

A few minutes after the steamer Islander left her wharf at Vancouver yesterday morning a very thick fog came on, and as the steamer was nearing the Narrows she ran on the rocks. Every blade was knocked off one of her propellers but no other damage was done. One new blade was put on the propellor before she floated off. The rest will be put on at Port Simpson where she will be beached. She left for there to-day.

PROFESSOR W. SAUNDERS.

Director of the Dominion Experimental Farms Visits the Province.

Professor W. Saunders, director of the Dominion Experimental farms, arrived over from the Mainland Saturday evening, and with his daughter, Miss Saunders, spent yesterday and to-day seeing people and things in and around Victoria. The professor and Miss Saunders leave again for home to-morrow morning by way of Westminster, where Mr. Saunders will have a look at the Royal City's gardens.

It is now five weeks or more since he left Ottawa on his annual western trip, and during that time he has had an opportunity of seeing the grain fields of the Northwest. Some time was spent between Winnipeg and Brandon, and to the south and west of the latter point where some of the largest farms of the Dominion are situated. The districts of Indian Head, Q'Appelle, Regina, Moose Jaw and Prince Albert were also visited. The crops throughout Manitoba and the Northwest Mr. Saunders found unusually good and quite equal to the anticipations of the farmers. The wheat was very heavy, but in most places was from a week to ten days later than last year. This was due partly to a light frost in the spring which had the effect of stopping the growth slightly, and to the subsequent wet weather which induced a very vigorous "tulling" in the grain. Nearly one-third of the crop of Southern Manitoba had been harvested when Mr. Saunders was there. That was about the 28th of August. On the whole he considered that Manitoba and the Northwest had done remarkably well this year.

In British Columbia Mr. Saunders visited the Spallumcheen and Okanagan valleys and found the crops there remarkably good, the average yield being about 30 bushels to the acre, some of the farmers getting as much as fifty bushels. The district between Vernon and Enderby seems to get along very well in growing grain crops without the assistance of irrigation, but south of that the land would require irrigation in order to assure a crop.

Fruit is doing well all through these valleys, apples, pears, plums and cherries thriving especially. There are no peaches to any extent this year. It is Professor Saunders' impression that it would be more profitable for the farmers of this part to confine their attention to growing the varieties which can be brought to great perfection. Perhaps their winter temperature drops a little to low for peach culture. The fruit of these valleys he found to be remarkably clean and free from blight. There are very large areas of excellent land there, but the chief difficulty in the way of settlement seems to be the high prices at which land is held, and the few people who hold it being unwilling to part with it unless they get very high figures from the purchasers. On the ranches Mr. Saunders found cattle raising carried on successfuly and profitably, the stock looking remarkably well and the owners appearing to make money rapidly.

The farm at Agassiz has made excellent progress since last year, and is doing some good work in the tests which are being made. Corn is growing especially well, some of it being equal to that which the Professor has seen anywhere in the Dominion. The orchard trees are also doing remarkably well, some of the trees planted last year giving some excellent specimens of fruit this year. It is the intention to show at the exhibition here something of what the farm is doing.

There were several varieties of apples which seemed to be remarkably good. Of these, the Ripstone Pippin and Northern Spy seemed to be well adapted, from their long keeping qualities, to bear a long shipment. The Gravenstone has also done very well. Mr. Saunders spent to-day in visting the local Government authorities and the President of the agricultural society, Mr. Ker, and others.

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DROVES AT THE WELL.

SERMON PREACHED AT ELMIRA, N. Y., BY REV. DR. TALMAGE.

The Subject Rendered Appropriate by the Fact That They Are Holding an Interstate Fair There—Text of the Sermon, Genesis, xxix, 8.

ELMIRA, Sept. 6.—The Rev. Dr. Talmage preached here today to the immense multitude who have come to attend the New York and Pennsylvania exposition, which is being held here Sept. 1 to Sept. 9. It is a combined exposition of cattle, sheep, horses and valuable stock of all kinds from the two states. The sermon was preached on the fair grounds to a great audience of farmers, horsemen, drovers and stock raisers from near and far, as well as citizens from the adjacent cities. Secretary Stanley, of the Young Men's Christian Association of Elmira, presided. Dr. Talmage's text was Genesis xxix, 8, "And they said, we cannot, until all the flocks be gathered together, and till they roll the stone from the well's mouth; then we water the sheep."

THE HORSE THE KING OF BEASTS.

There are some reasons why it is appropriate that I should accept the invitation to preach at this great interstate fair, and to these throngs of countrymen and citizens—horsemen just come from their fine chargers, the king of beasts, for I take the crown from the lion and put it on the brow of the horse, which is in every way nobler and stouter to these shepherds just come from their flocks—the Lord himself in one place called a Shepherd and in another place called a Lamb, and all the good are sheep—and preach to you cattlemen come up from the herds, your occupation honored by the fact that God himself thinks it worthy of immortal record that he owns "the cattle on a thousand hills."

It is appropriate that I come, because I was a farmer's boy, and never saw a city until I was nearly grown, and, having been born in the country, I never got over it, and would not dwell in cities a day if my work was not appointed there. My love to you now, and when I get through I will give you my hand, for though I have this summer shaken hands with perhaps forty thousand people in twenty-one states of the Union, all the way through to Colorado and north and south, I will not conclude my summer vacation till I have shaken hands with you. You old farmer out there! How you make me think of my father! You elderly woman out there with cap and spectacles! How you make me think of my mother!

And now, while the air of these fair grounds is filled with the bleating of sheep, and the neighing of horses, and the lowing of cattle, I cannot find a more appropriate text than the one I read. It is a scene in Mesopotamia, beautifully pastoral. A well of water of great value in that region. The fields around about it white with three flocks of sheep lying down waiting for the watering. I hear their bleating coming on the bright air, and the laughter of young men and maidens indulging in rustic repartee. I look off, and I see other flocks of sheep coming. Meanwhile, Jacob, a stranger, on the interesting errand of looking for a wife, comes to the well. A beautiful shepherdess comes to the same well. I see her approaching, followed by her father's flock of sheep. It was a memorable meeting. Jacob married that shepherdess. The Bible account of it is, "Jacob kissed Rachel, and lifted up his voice and wept."

It has always been a mystery to me what he found to cry about! But before that scene occurred Jacob accosts the shepherds and asks them why they postpone the slaking of the thirst of these sheep, and why they did not immediately proceed to water them. The shepherds reply to the effect: "We are all good neighbors, and as a matter of courtesy we wait until all the sheep of the neighborhood come up. Besides that, this stone on the well's mouth is somewhat heavy, and several of us take hold of it and push it aside, and then the buckets and the troughs are filled and the sheep are satisfied. We cannot, until all the flocks are gathered together, and till they roll the stone from the well's mouth; then we water the sheep."

A THIRSTY WORLD.

Oh, this is a thirsty world! Hot for the head, and blistering for the feet, and parching for the tongue. The world's great want is a cool, refreshing, satisfying draft. We wander around and find the cistern empty. Long and tedious drought has dried up the world's fountains, but nearly nineteen centuries ago a Shepherd, with crook in the shape of a cross, and feet cut to the bleeding, explored the desert passages of this world, and one day came across a well a thousand feet deep, bubbling and bright, and opalescent, and looked to the north, and the south, and the east, and the west, and cried out with a voice strong and musical that rang through the ages: "Ho, every one that thirsteth, come ye to the waters!"

Now, a great flock of sheep today gather around this Gospel well. There are a great many thirsty souls. I wonder why the flocks of all nations do not gather—why so many stay thirsty; and while I am wondering about it, my text breaks forth in the explanation, saying: "We cannot, until all these flocks be gathered together, and till they roll the stone from the well's mouth; then we water the sheep."

THE GENTLENESS OF SHEEP.

If a herd of swine come to a well they angrily jostle each other for the precedence. If a drove of cattle come to a well, they hook each other back from the water, but when the flock of sheep come, though a hundred of them shall be disappointed, they only express it by sad bleating—they come together peacefully. We want a great multitude to come around the Gospel well. I know there are those who do not like a crowd—they think a crowd is vulgar. If they are oppressed for room in church it makes them positively impatient and belligerent. Not so did these oriental shepherds. They waited until all the flocks were gathered, and the more flocks that came the better they liked it.

And so we ought to be anxious that all the people should come. Go out into the highways and the hedges and compel them to come in. Go to the rich and tell them they are indigent without the Gospel of Jesus. Go to the poor and tell them the affluence there is in Christ. Go to the blind and tell them of the touch that gives eternal illumination. Go to the lame and tell them of the joy that will make the lame man leap like a hart. Gather all the sheep off of all the mountains. None so torn of the dogs, none so sick, none so worried, none so dying as to be omitted. When the fall elections come the whole land is secured for voters, and if a man is too weak or sick to walk to the polls a carriage is sent for him; but when the question is whether Christ or the devil shall rule this world, how few there are to come out and seek the sick, and the lost, and the suffering, and the bereft, and the lame and induce their suffrages for the Lord Jesus. Why not gather a great flock? All America in a flock; all the world in a flock.

This well of the Gospel is deep enough to put out the burning thirst of the fourteen hundred million of the race. Do not let the church by a spirit of exclusiveness keep the world out. Let down all the bars, swing open all the gates, scatter all the invitations: "Whosoever will, let him come." Come, white and black. Come, red men of the forest. Come, Laplander, out of the snow. Come, Patagonian, out of the heat. Come in furs. Come, panting under palm leaves. Come one! Come all! Come now. As at this well of Mesopotamia Jacob and Rachel were betrothed, so now, at this well of salvation Christ our Shepherd will meet you coming up with your long flocks of cares and anxieties, and he will stretch out his hand in pledge of his affection, while all heaven will cry out, "Behold the bridegroom cometh; go ye out to meet him."

THE WELL OF SALVATION.

You notice that this well of Mesopotamia had a stone on it, which must be removed before the sheep could be watered; and I find on the well of salvation today impediments and obstacles, which must be removed in order that you may obtain the refreshment and life of this Gospel. In your case the impediment is pride of heart. You cannot bear to come to so democratic a fountain; you do not want to come with so many others. It is to you like when you are dry, coming to a town pump, as compared to sitting in a parlor sipping out of a chased chalice which has just been lifted from a silver salver. Not so many publicans and sinners. You want to get to heaven, but it must be in a special car, with your feet on a Turkish ottoman and a band of music on board the train.

You do not want to be in company with rustic Jacob and Rachel, and to be drinking out of the fountain where ten thousand sheep have been drinking before you. You will have to remove the obstacle of pride, or never find your way to the well. You will have to come as we came, willing to take the water of eternal life in any way and at any hand, and in any kind of pitcher, crying out: "O Lord Jesus, I am dying of thirst. Give me the water of eternal life, whether in trough or goblet. Give me the water of life; I care not in what it comes to me." Away with all your hindrances of pride from the well's mouth.

Here is another man who is kept back from the water of life by the stone of an obdurate heart, which lies over the mouth of the well. You have no more feeling upon this subject than if God had yet to do you the first kindness, or you had to do God the first wrong. Seated on his lap all these years, his everlasting arms shelter ing you, where is your gratitude? Where is your morning and evening prayer? Where are your consecrated lives? I say to you, as Daniel said to Belshazzar, "The God in whose hand thy breath is, and all thy way, thou hast not glorified."

If you treated anybody as badly as you have treated God, you would have made five hundred apologies—yea, your whole life would have been an apology. Three times a day you have been seated at God's table. Spring, summer, autumn and winter he has appropriately appareled you. Your health from him, your companion from him, your children from him, your home from him. All the bright surroundings of your life from him. Oh, man, what dost thou with that hard heart? Canst thou not feel one throb of gratitude toward the God who made you, and the Christ who came to redeem you, and the Holy Ghost who has all these years been importuning you? If you could sit down five minutes under the tree of a Saviour's martyrdom, and feel his warm life trickling on your forehead and cheek and hands, methinks you would get some appreciation of what you owe to a crucified Jesus.

Heart of stone, relent, relent,
Touched by Jesus' cross subdued:
See his body, mangled, rent,
Covered with a gore of blood.
Sinful soul, what hast thou done?
Crucified the Eternal Son.

TAKE THE STONE FROM THE WELL.

Jacob, with a good deal of tug and push, took the stone from the well's mouth, so that the flocks might be watered. And I would that today my word, blessed of God, might remove the hindrances to your getting up to the Gospel well. Yes, I take it for granted that the work is done, and now, like oriental shepherds, I proceed to water the sheep.

Come, all ye thirsty! You have an undefined longing in your soul. You tried money making; that did not satisfy you. You tried office under government; that did not satisfy you. You tried pictures and sculptures, but works of art did not satisfy you. You are as much discontent ed with this life as the celebrated French author who felt that he could not any longer endure the misfortunes of the world, and who said: "At 4 o'clock this afternoon I shall put an end to my own existence. Meanwhile, I must toil on up to that time for the sustenance of my family." And he wrote on his book until the clock struck 4, when he folded up his manuscript and, by his own hand, concluded his earthly life.

There are men here who are perfectly discontented. Unhappy in the past, unhappy today, to be unhappy forever, unless you come to this Gospel well. This satisfies the soul with a high, deep, all-absorbing and eternal satisfaction. It comes and it offers the most unfortunate man so much of this world as is best for him, and throws all heaven into the bargain. The wealth of Crœsus and of all of the Rothschilds is only a poor, miserable shilling compared with the eternal fortunes that Christ offers you today. In the far east there was a king who used once a year to get on a scales, while on the other side of the scales were placed gold and silver and gems; indeed, enough were placed there to balance the king; then, at the close of the weighing, all those treasures were thrown among the populace. But Christ today steps on one side the scales, and on the other side are all the treasures of the universe, and he says: "All are yours—all height, all depth, all length, all breadth, all eternity; all are yours." We don't appreciate the promises of the Gospel.

GATHER YOUR FLOCKS.

But I gather all the promises today in a group, and I ask the shepherds to drive their flocks of lambs and sheep up to the sparkling supply. "Behold, happy is the man whom God correcteth." "Though he cause grief, yet will he have compassion." "Many are the afflictions of the righteous, but the Lord delivereth him out of them all." "Weeping may endure for a night, but joy cometh in the morning." I am determined today that no one shall go away uncomforted. Yonder is a timid and shrinking soul who seems to hide away from the consolations I am uttering, as a child with a sore hand hides away from the physician lest he touch the wound, too roughly, and the mother has to go and compel the little patient to come out and see the physician.

So I come to your timid and shrinking soul today, and compel you to come out in the presence of the Divine Physician. He will not hurt you. He has been healing wounds for many years, and he will give you gentle and omnipotent medicament. Just inside when they have trouble, go anywhere rather than to God. De Quincy took opium to get rid of his troubles. Charles Lamb took to punch. Theodore Hook took to something stronger. Edwin Forrest took to theatrical dissipation. And men have run all around the earth, hoping in the quick transit to get away from their misfortunes. It has been a dead failure. There is only one well that can slake the thirst of an afflicted spirit, and that is the deep and inexhaustible well of the Gospel.

THE THOUGHT OF HEAVEN.

But some one says, in the audience, "Nothwithstanding all you have said this morning, I find no alleviation for my troubles." Well, I am not through yet. I have left the most potent consideration for the last. I am going to soothe you with the thought of heaven. However talkative we may be, there will come a time when the stoutest and most emphatic interrogation will evoke from us no answer. As soon as we have closed our lips for the final silence no power on earth can break that taciturnity, but where, oh, Christian, will be your spirits? In a scene of infinite gladness. The spring morning of heaven waving its blossoms in the bright air. Victors fresh from battle showing their scars. The rain of earthly sorrow struck through with the rainbow of eternal joy. In one group, God and angels and the redeemed—Paul and Silas, Latimer and Ridley, Isaiah and Jeremiah, Payson and John Milton, Gabriel and Michael the archangel. Long line of choristers reaching across the hills. Seas of joy dashing to the white beach. Conquerors marching from gate to gate. You among them.

Oh, what a great flock of sheep God will gather around the celestial well. No stone on the well's mouth while the shepherd waters the sheep. There Jacob will recognize Rachel the shepherdess. And standing on one side of the well of eternal rapture your children, and standing on the other side of the well of eternal rapture your Christian ancestry, you will be bounded on all sides by a joy so keen and grand that no other world has ever been permitted to experience it.

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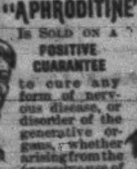

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JOSEPH MEUNIER.
JOSEPH H. BROWN.
HENRY FOX.

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I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Board for a transfer of the license of the Gordon Hotel, Johnson street, from Charles Brewster to myself.

GEORGE DOGHERTY.

Victoria, August 6th, 1891. au7-1m

NOTICE.

I HAVE COMMENCED A SUIT IN THE Mining Court to cancel a bill of sale of my half undivided interest in the mineral claim "Yankee Girl," in Toad Mountain, dated 3rd February, 1891, as Peter B. Forbes, the transferee, has given no consideration therefor.

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Nelson, 3rd Sept., 1891. au9-fw-d&w

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A BY-LAW

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WHEREAS it is expedient that a portion of North Road within the limits of the City of Victoria be closed:

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

From and after the final passage of this By-Law so much of the North Road in the said City of Victoria as extends from Chambers Street to the Fernwood Road, both in the said City, is hereby permanently closed and stopped up.

This By-Law may be cited as "The North Road Closure By-Law, 1891."

Passed the Municipal Council this 28th day of August, A.D., 1891.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council the 2nd day of September, A.D., 1891.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT, Mayor.

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REMOVAL.

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NOTICE.

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THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETI the shareholders will be held at th pany's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, day of October next at eleven o'clock forenoon.

Dated September 1st, 1891.

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NOTICE.

The Union Colliery Company of Columbia (Limited Liability.)

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A SITE IN ELYSIUM.

Offer of Mr. Joseph Haywood of Grounds for the Hotel Victoria.

To the Committee on Hotel Site:

GENTLEMEN—Enclosed please find a plan of the property which I have the honor to offer to you for sale, the same being a most suitable and superior site, in my opinion for the new hotel, which you propose to construct in this city.

I respectfully wish to draw your attention to the fact that this property has a great many advantages to recommend it, such as an excellent neighborhood, there being nothing in its vicinity offensive either to the eye or nose. The place so well suited for a hotel of the high grade proposed can be purchased in the city. Its site is charming, being in the centre of Elysian fields and shady groves of royal oaks, the king of trees. It is surrounded by hills (not in the air), and costly mansions, superb villas and luxurious homes. All this within ten minutes walk of the postoffice.

The new "Hotel Victoria," if placed on this site, would be indeed a beautiful place. Surrounded by extensive ornamental and terraced grounds, laid out with artistic taste, embellished with the choicest flowers, clumps of evergreens and shrubs, neat trimmed hedges, sparkling fountains and rich green lawns, with velvety turf and smooth gravelled walks, it would be to the eye of the tourist a very paradise.

The view from this point is also one of the finest in the city. Scenery of incomparable beauty is here disclosed, both marine and landscape. Forests of dark green foliage stretch away for leagues. Crystal lakes and snow capped mountains can be seen. In the eastern distance Mount Baker, that king of the west, pierces the clouds with his snowy peak, which flashes and glitters in the morning sun, like silver set with diamonds. Away in the Straits and the Gulf of Georgia, can be seen the thousand isles, like emerald gems in a sea of glass. To the east, west, north or south the scene is unsurpassed, even if equalled in any part of the world. This is no imaginative sketch, but can be seen at any time from the point I now refer to your consideration for the site of the Hotel Victoria.

We all know that this city has long needed a hotel for the ever increasing tourist travel, and for such a hotel the site I offer is not to be surpassed. Convenient to the comforts of town, with all the healthful freshness of the country. A hotel here would be patronized by the best of the travelling public, and when departing they would wish to longer stay and soon return.

Some have objected to this site on the grounds that the distance from town is too great. This is a mistake, for the cost of transportation to the hotel from trains or boats would be no more than it is to the other hotels of the city. The street railway will no doubt soon be extended to the point, when a five minutes trip will take the visitor to the business centers of the city. The tide of business is also setting up Fort street, and after a great time elapses, stores of all kinds will be near enough to the site offered.

The city needs a first class hotel, and its site is a prime factor for future success. The one I offer should receive your earnest attention, and I trust that you will carefully investigate the claims I have set forth before you finally decide on the proposed site.

This desirable piece of property I offer you for sale as a superior site to locate the proposed new Hotel Victoria, on the following terms:

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J. HEYWOOD.

Victoria, September 1, 1891.

KOOTENAY INTELLIGENCE.

Excitement at Kaslo Creek—Lardeaux Trail Damaged by Fire.

There was a lull in the Kaslo Creek excitement the fore part of the week, but the excitement is again at fever heat, if reports received from Ainsworth on Friday are to be believed. The lull was occasioned by conflicting opinions as to the merits of the new district, many of the returned prospectors calling it "cultus," while others were emphatic in pronouncing the Showings good. The revived excitement was caused by the bringing to Ainsworth of ore that assayed up in the hundreds, the ore coming from finds not previously reported. The number of prospectors who returned to the district is estimated at close onto 50. Pat Gannon left Ainsworth on Friday to look out a suitable route for a trail into the district. It is generally conceded that the Schroder creek route is more direct and practicable than the one up Kaslo creek.

The tunnel on the Grizzly Bear is in over 70 feet, with three 8-hour shifts pegging away. Superintendent Robertson is sanguine over the outlook, and states that by spring the Grizzly will be a mine. The company is a British Columbia one, and its success will instill a little confidence in coast capitalists who, whatever might be said of them, have put many a good dollar in mining ventures that paid nothing but Irish dividends.

G. B. Nagle, who was foreman in charge of the force at work on the Lardeaux trail, arrived at Ainsworth on the 2nd. The trail was completed through to Trout Lake on August 29th. On returning towards the Kootenay Lake end of the work, it was found that a big fire had run through the country, damaging the trail for a distance of four miles, and burning out the bridge across Cooper creek. It will take about 10 days to repair the damage.

Edmonton Bulletin, August 29th: A Montana miner with a small train of pack horses, arrived at Edmonton on Tuesday of this week from the headwaters of the Saskatchewan, where he has been prospecting for gold. He was compelled to leave owing to the scarcity of provisions, but is well pleased with the prospects and will return next year.

Merchants Luncheon.

From 11.30 until 2 o'clock and Lowenbrau at the Bank Exchange.

All broken lines boots and shoes must be cleaned out to make room for new goods. Carmichael & Patterson, 35 Johnson street.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer Yosemite from Vancouver.—Fred Heim, Capt Wm Grant and wife, S Johnson, Misses Blake (2), Miss Eckley, Capt Benson, J J Hundorff, Lee Dye, E B McNaughton, B Lewellyn, R Baker, F A Fisher, E B Pomeroy, W H Henderson, Capt Copp, J J Russell, W F Kent, J R Green, P Antonio, Jno Fletcher, B R Fleming, F French, Jos Mortimer, Miss McLevine, F Scotney, A Martell, Miss Pomeroy, R P Boise, jr., and wife, Miss Hart, Chas Wilson, W Osborn, Mrs Capt Rudlin, D W Millar, W S Patterson, W Herbert, J C Henderson, A Albert, H P McCasey and wife, J Flett, G A Morris, M Moore, S A Johnson, J Fleming, T Carver, N W Anderson and wife, H Griffin and others.

Per steamer Olympian from the Sound.—E Marvin, Arabian and wife, H Coote, W H Corty, R Chadwick, T E Lambert, W Manning, Chas Oro, F Frukitt, R A Roscoe, J McKead, C A Leavens, J E Richards, H P McDonald, Johnny Stewart, Geo Bishop and wife, Mrs Tiedeman, Mrs C B Stule, J W Dillon, H Rogers, Arabian woman, J C Geamy, Indian, J C Burns, J S Stevans and wife, F Groner H Steveson, Mrs H S White, J Riddell, F Sears, H O'Brien, G Smith, J McRae, J Balsley, G W Arthur.

CONSIGNEES.

Per steamer Yosemite from Vancouver—J Hutchinson, Weiler Bros., Order, Mr. S Sea, F K Norris, R Jamieson, C Strouss & Co., H Bornstein, H M Graham, D Spencer, Mrs Mears, Lenz & Leiser, W P Sayward, Nat Elec Tram Co, Hudson Bay Co., S Leiser, C Hugonson, Dom Express Co.

Per steamer Olympian from the Sound.—Braden & Stamford, Mary Blinyer.

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Castoria is recommended by physicians for children teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation, its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste and absolutely harmless. It relieves constipation, regulates the bowels, quiets pain, cures diarrhœa and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms, and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mothers' friend. 35 doses, 35 cents.

The Founder of Liberia.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 14.—J. H. B. Latrobe, the oldest member of the Baltimore bar, is dead. Mr. Latrobe was president of the National Colonization Society, and it was through his individual efforts that Liberia was established as the "black republic."

Dyspepsia

Intense Suffering for 8 years—Restored to Perfect Health.

Few people have suffered more severely from dyspepsia than Mr. E. A. McMahon, a well known grocer of Staunton, Va. He says: "Before 1878 I was in excellent health, weighing over 200 pounds. In that year an ailment developed into acute dyspepsia, and soon I was reduced to 162 pounds, suffering burning sensations in the stomach, palpitation of the heart, nausea, and indigestion. I could not sleep, lost all heart in my work, had fits of melancholia, and for days at a time I would have welcomed death. I became morose, sullen and irritable, and for eight years life was a burden. I tried many physicians and many remedies. One day a workman employed by me suggested that I take Hood's Sarsaparilla, as it had cured his wife of dyspepsia. I did so, and before taking the whole of a bottle I began to feel like a new man. The terrible pains to which I had been subjected, ceased, the palpitation of the heart subsided, my stomach became easier, nausea disappeared, and my entire system began to tone up. With returning strength came activity of mind and body. Before the fifth bottle was taken I had regained my former weight and natural condition. I am today well and I ascribe it to taking Hood's Sarsaparilla."

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SATURDAY, SEPT. 19

Excursionists will be afforded an opportunity of visiting the great Exposition, as the steamer will remain five hours at Tacoma.

Will leave Victoria at 7 a.m. sharp.

This will be the Excursion of the season.

Particulars later. se9-tf

VANCOUVER OPERA HOUSE

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A special steamer will leave New Westminster on Sunday, Sept. 27, at 8 a.m., landing at Cadboro Bay to deliver exhibits. All goods delivered free on the Exhibition grounds from Cadboro Bay landing.

Return fare at single rates, and freight returned free on payment one way, on all C.P.N. Co.'s steamers, good from 26th September to 4th October, inclusive, from Vancouver, New Westminster, Chilliwhack and way ports.

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Dec. 30.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE.

TO OUR PATRONS—The Victoria Electric Company purpose immediately entering upon an extension of their works by the erection of a new and commodious plant house and plant of large capacity, capable of accommodating the ever-increasing demand.

The new station will be located on Constance street, where, aided by superior facilities for the production of Light, Power, etc., combined with large output, they will be able to offer even better service, at a very materially reduced cost to consumers.

Pending the completion of these works, every effort will be made to continue the past reliable service, and to deal with patrons fairly. Any believing, however, that they have a grievance are invited to have the difficulty adjusted by presentation to the undersigned LOUIS REDON,
President.

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The Saanich road, from Market street to the City boundary, is again open for traffic.

JOHN GRANT,
Mayor.

Victoria, August 18th, 1891. au18

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Auditor for Corporation City of Victoria.

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FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I SHALL not be responsible for any debts contracted without my written authority.

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Victoria, Sept. 2, 1891. se2-tf

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MUNICIPAL.

Notice is hereby given that the Deluge Fire Engine House property on Yates Street will be sold by Public Auction on Tuesday, 15th day of September instant, at the City Hall, at 11 a.m., in accordance with the provisions of the "Deluge Fire Engine House Sale By-Law," No. 2. The Corporation to retain free possession of the said property until the 1st day of January, 1892.

By order,

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City Hall, 1st Sept., 1891. au1

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The offices of the Company have been removed to 40 Government street, the premises lately occupied by the Telegraph Company.

Dec. 30.

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$500—A good building lot, corner Oak and Fort streets, on car line and water main.

$300—Large lot, Richmond avenue, 60x120.

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NOTARIES PUBLIC FOR B. C.

MONEY TO LOAN IN LARGE OR SMALL SUMS AT LOWEST CURRENT RATES.

WEATHER REPORT.

VICTORIA, B. C., September 13, 1891.
Corrected by Mr. F. C. Gamble, C. E.

Time.	Tem'ter	Bar.	Wind	Remarks.
4 p.m.	58.0	30.00	N E by N	Raining
6 p.m.	59.0	30.00	N	Cloudy
10 p.m.	56.0	30.00		"
6 a.m.	52.0	29.99	N E	Foggy
2 p.m.	65.0	30.01	S by E	Fair

Temperature—Highest, 65; lowest, 51.
Rain—.03 in.

VICTORIA, B.C., Sept. 14, 1891.

8 a.m.	57.0	30.01	S by E	Fair
Noon.	61.0	30.03	E by S	Cloudy
10 p.m.	59.0	30.05		"
6 a.m.	56.0	30.08	S W by S	"
2 p.m.	65.0	30.11	S S E	"

Temperature—Highest, 63; lowest, 55.

TIDE RECORD—VICTORIA HARBOR, B.C.

For 24 hours ending 1 p.m. Sept 13, 1891.
Datum—Ordinary low water Spring tides.
Lowest water observed 1.5 below datum, Jan. 9 and 11, 1891.
Highest, 10.16 above datum, Dec. 27, 1890.

SATURDAY, Sept. 12. | SUNDAY, Sept. 12.

	Tide ft above datum	p.m.	Tide ft above datum.	a.m.	Tide ft above datum.	p.m.	Tide ft above datum.
1	7.16	8	8.08	1	4.50	8	3.50
2	7.50	9	7.53	2	3.50	9	4.79
3	7.63	10	7.42	3	2.42	10	5.50
4	7.75	11	6.75	4	2.00	11	6.33
5	7.83	12	5.66	5	1.83	12	6.75
6	8.00			6	1.83		7.08
7	8.08			7	2.50		

MONDAY, Sept. 13. | MONDAY, Sept. 7.

	Tide ft above datum	p.m.	Tide ft above datum	a.m.	Tide ft above datum	a.m.	Tide ft above datum
1	7.61	8	8.08	1	5.50	8	2.50
2	7.83	9	8.08	2	4.25	9	3.50
3	7.75	10	7.75	3	2.75	10	4.75
4	7.33	11	7.25	4	1.92	11	5.75
5	7.25	12	6.50	5	1.25	12	6.50
6	7.75			6	1.25		6.75
7	8.08			7	1.50		

Mount Tolmie Park. Look it up.

On a Trip Around the World.

The steam yacht St. George arrived in Esquimalt this morning, twenty-five days from Yokohama, the last port she called at. She is on a trip around the world with a party of which Mr. Wise, her owner, is the head. She is a beautiful vessel of 800 tons, barkentine rigged, and looks like a traveller. She will lay here for a while, and then leave for Australia by way of San Francisco, Honolulu and the Islands. After visiting Australia she will return home via the West Indies. She belongs to the Royal Yacht Club, and flies the white ensign.

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You Are Interested.

If you occupy a house that you do not own, or if you expect to need a house within the next few years, or if you care to make an investment of small weekly savings that will be absolutely sure to bring you large returns, you will be interested in the liberal proposition made by the Mount Tolmie Home Building Association to investors and home seekers.

Look it up.

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Is commonly said of famous beauties. She who uses with artistic taste Wisdom's Famous Robertine has fortune in the possessing of a complexion to which nothing but the blush of the rose or the freshness of the lily can be compared. This preparation is just what it is claimed to be—the most delightful toilet article and only perfect beautifier known. Read the testimonials from famous artists, celebrated chemists and eminent physicians. D. E. Campbell, agent.

BIRTH.

PETTICREW.—At No. 10 Rendell street, on the 13th inst., the wife of William C. Petticrew, of a daughter.

DEATHS.

GILLIGAN.—In this city on the 13th inst., John T. Gilligan, a native of Victoria, aged 25 years.

The funeral will leave his late residence, Kane street, to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock, and the R. C. pro-cathedral at 9:30.

Friends are invited to attend.

WILKINS.—On the 13th instant, Morris Erroll, the beloved child of L. M. and M. A. Wilkins, aged 8 months.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Tuesday) at 2 o'clock from 12 Green street, and at St. Barnabas' church at 2:15 p.m.

TIEDEMANN.—In this city, on the 12th instant, Hermann Otto Tiedemann, a native of Berlin, aged 70 years.

The funeral will take place on Tuesday, at half-past two o'clock, from the family residence, corner of Menzies and Superior streets.

Friends are invited to attend.

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General Dry Goods

Cor. Broad and Yates.

Our stock is rapidly approaching completion as regards Fall Goods. We invite you to inspect our first shipments of Jackets, Mantles, and Dress Tweeds. Our Jackets and Mantles are especially worthy of notice. In addition to our regular importations we have purchased at a considerable discount, a full range of German Manufacturers' Samples. They comprise some beautiful designs, and as this purchase gives us a very large stock we have marked all in this department even lower than our usual small profit. We have a first-class dress and mantle maker on the premises, and if we cannot give you a good fit we will make one to your order. In our own importations we pay special attention to extra small and extra large sizes. Garments altered free of charge. We would impress upon our customers the fact that we consider it no trouble to show goods.

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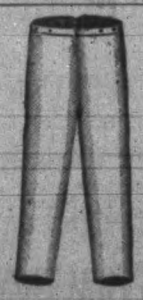

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The Corner Lot at intersection of Crescent and Cavan Street, Nanaimo, is offered for sale. On a portion or this lot is the two-story frame building now occupied by the undersigned as a General Store. This is one of the best, if not the best, business location in Nanaimo. No coal has been mined underneath, so the foundation is solid.

The business, with stock of Dry Goods, Groceries, Safe, etc., is also for sale. For particulars apply to

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NOTICE.

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Strawberry Vale Ferm

Victoria Dec 11, 1890. de12 3

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D. W. HIGGINS,
Managing Director.

Victoria, Sept. 14, 1891.
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FUNERAL NOTICE.

Court Vancouver, No. 5755, A.O.F.

THE MEMBERS OF THE ABOVE COURT are requested to meet at their hall on Tuesday 15th inst., at 8:30 a.m., to attend the funeral of our late Bro. John Gilligan.

Members of Court Northern Light and visiting brethren invited to attend.

S. WILSON,
Sec'y.

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